



I'D OFFER THEE THIS HAND OF MINE  
A FAVORITE SONG

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VOICE.

CON ANIMA.

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*p* *Richard.*

I'd

GUITAR.

of . . . fer thee this hand of mine, If I could love thee less, But

hearts as warm and pure as thine, Should nev . . . er know dis . . . tress. My

for... tune is too hard for thee 'Twould chill thy dear-est joy,... I'd

ra... ther weep to see thee free,... Than win thee to des... troy.

(3<sup>d</sup>v.) And now my dreams are sadly o'er, Fate bids them to de... part And  
(2<sup>nd</sup>v.) I leave thee in thy happi... ness, As one to dear too love, As

I must leave my native shore, In brot... kenness of heart; Then  
one I think of but to bless,... As wretch-ed... ly I rove; But

oh dear one when far from thee, I ne'er know joy a... gain, I  
oh! when sorrows cup I drink, All bit... ter tho' it be,... How

would not, that one thought of me Should give thy bo... som pain.  
sweet 'twill be for me to think,... It holds no drop for thee.

